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NOTIFICATION

United Nations Conference for the Negotiation of a Successor Agreement to the International Agreement on Olive Oil and Table Olives, 2005

Geneva, 5–9 October 2015

On behalf of the Secretary-General of the United Nations, the Secretary-General of UNCTAD is convening the United Nations Conference for the Negotiation of a Successor Agreement to the International Agreement on Olive Oil and Table Olives, 2005. The Conference will be held from 5 to 9 October 2015 and is scheduled to open in room XXVI of the Palais des Nations, Geneva at 10 a.m. on Monday, 5 October.

Background documents

The provisional agenda and annotations are contained in document TD/OLIVE OIL.11/1 and the provisional rules of procedure are contained in document TD/OLIVE OIL.11/2. The Conference will have before it document TD/OLIVE OIL.11/3 containing a draft new International Agreement on Olive Oil and Table Olives, as approved by the International Olive Council in its decision No. DEC-1/S.ex.24-V/2015 of 19 June 2015.

Participation

States members of UNCTAD that wish to participate in the Conference are requested to submit to the UNCTAD secretariat by **28 September 2015** the credentials of their representatives and the names of alternate representatives and advisers who will participate in the Conference.

Specialized agencies and relevant organizations that wish to participate in the Conference as observers are requested to inform the UNCTAD secretariat by the same date of the names of their representatives.

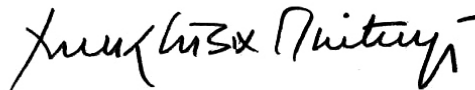
Registration should be completed online. To do so, please use the following link: [United Nations Conference on Olive Oil and Table Olives](#). Nominations and related communications concerning representation at the meeting should be sent to the UNCTAD secretariat, Intergovernmental Support Service, Palais des Nations, CH-1211 Geneva 10; fax: 41 22 917 0214; e-mail: meetings@unctad.org.

Logistics

Upon arrival, participants are requested, before entering the Palais des Nations, to collect their badges at the United Nations Security Service, Pregny Gate entrance, 14 avenue de la Paix. The Security Service is open from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. Because of the security measures in force, participants are strongly advised to arrive before 9 a.m. in order to complete entry procedures in good time and proceed to the meeting in the E Building (Batiment E) of the Palais. Participants are requested to carry a passport or similar national identity card with them. Taxis are not allowed to enter the grounds of the Palais des Nations; visitors will therefore be dropped off at the requested entrance gates. Furthermore, luggage may not be brought into the buildings unless the Security Service grants special clearance.

Further information and contact details

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